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CHRISTMAS.

Once more Christmas Jolly rolls around. Next Saturday people all over the civilized world, old and young, rich and poor will call a halt from their usual round of activities, to commemorate in their own particular way an event which happened nearly two thousand years ago when the Holy Child, Jesus, was born in the manger at Bethlehem.

On that first Christmas Day the world received its greatest gift and ever since that this season has been one of gift giving, a custom which brings gladness to the hearts of many, thus perpetuating the feelings of those who brought their offerings of gold, frankincense and myrrh to the babe who was born to become the Saviour of the world.

On this happiest of all days, when hearts dilate with the glow and warmth of the blazing hearth, and when the warm grasp of friendship welcomes us all with that rare charm of the Christmas spirit, who of us is able to resist this joyful call to happiness?

In such an atmosphere we become as children and live again the happy days and see again the same dear faces. Indeed it is a season, when not merely the fire of hospitality should be kindled high in the hall, but higher still should flare the genial flame of kindly charity.

Christmas is the time of "Peace on Earth, Good Will Toward Men." What better time than this to forget all past animosities and selfishness and to give something of ourselves to those less fortunate. "Who gives himself with his alma feeds three, himself his hungry neighbor and Me."

Dicens says: "I have always thought of Christmas as a good time; a kind, forgiving, generous, pleasant time; a time when men and women seem by one consent to open their hearts freely and so I say, God Bless Christmas."

In his address to the people on his return to Athens, King Constantine said he was just like the president of the United States. If wars were now the style this might be construed as being an overt act.

The decision of the United States to place a tariff on almost all farm products going into that country from Canada, should cause the people of this country to do some real thinking before plunging into any hasty tariff revision.

WILL NOT SUSPEND

FREIGHT INCREASE.

On the ground that notwithstanding the criticism to which the board has been subjected, its findings cannot, on the most searching analysis be fairly characterized as other than just and reasonable, the board of railway commissioners is a judgment handed down Tuesday refuses the applications of the governments of Manitoba and Saskatchewan for an order suspending the railway rate increases granted in an order issued on September 9th, the higher rates becoming effective four days later.

WORLD INDEBTED

TO BRITISH NAVY.

Addressing a capacity audience in Halifax Monday His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire said the world owed the British navy a debt which it could never repay. The British always had and always would pursue a defensive rather than aggressive policy. Britain, he added, must always have a powerful fleet to protect her shores and commerce. The empire was now passing through a critical period but he had no fear of its outcome.

MONEY TRUSTS FOR

IMMIGRANTS INCREASED.

The money trust of immigrants of the action or laborer class into Canada has now been raised to \$100.00, and this amount the applicant for entry must be possessed of in addition to full fare to his destination within the time when an adult emigrant is accompanied by his family, he must have in addition \$115.00 for each member over 15 years of age, and \$90.00 for each child between the ages of 5 and 15. The new regulations come into effect along the international boundary on 15th of December and at ocean ports on January 1st.

CANADIAN TREES

FOR SOLDIERS' GRAVES.

Hon. Honore Mercier, minister of crown lands in the province of Quebec, is making arrangements for the shipment to Geoffrey Langille, provincial agent in Brussels, of 5,000 maple and elm tree saplings to be planted on the graves of Canadian soldiers who fell in the great war.

It is estimated that coal produced in Alberta since this war will total 4,700,000 tons, exceeding previous records by half a million tons.

BRITISH NEWS SERVICE.

FOR CANADIAN PAPERS.

January first will see the inauguration of a British news service by direct cable from England to Canadian papers. The service, which has been arranged by Canadian Press through Reuters, will be edited in England by Canadian editors and go directly to all papers of the Canadian Press. Heretofore only two papers have had direct cable service with England, and the remainder have received their news via news via United States channels. The innovation is a result of the recent Press Conference.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

NOT FREE FROM DUTY.

The impression that Christmas presents are exempt from duty is corrected in a brief statement issued from the customs department as follows: Articles sent in Canada as gifts are subject to the usual provisions of the tariff, with the exception that casual donations from abroad sent by friends and not being advertising matter, tobacco, articles containing spirits, or merchandise for sale, are admitted free when the duty otherwise payable thereon does not exceed 50 cents in any one case.

BRITISH MERCHANTS

TRADING WITH RUSSIA.

British and other traders have reported commerce with Russia without waiting a trade treaty between the governments, the foreign office announced. It was denied officially that Great Britain had signed an agreement with the Soviets. However, it was said it was known British and other traders were proceeding to Russian ports. These traders are without official recognition by the government and without its guarantee of protection, it was announced.

SOLDIERS' SETTLEMENT

BOARD MAKES CHANGES.

Notification of a change in the policy of the Soldier Settlement Board regarding the 15-mile limit has been received from Ottawa and will be of great interest to returned soldiers who want to become settlers on the land under the settlement act. Previous to this soldiers were only established on land within a radius of 15 miles from a railway, but this has now been extended to 25 miles in specially approved and accepted districts.

Gloomy Outlook for Removal of Embargo

Hopes of an early removal of the embargo on Canadian cattle look gloomy high Canadian circles in London. "We do not see any indication whatever of the British government weakening on the matter, although we are doing everything possible," it was said at the high commissioner's office, in reply to persistent rumors that the British are preparing to remove the embargo. The official note from Canada was not received recently as reported in London. To the meantime the agitation in Canada, in the opinion of certain high circles, is complicating the issue. A flurry was caused in London by a Canadian cable emanating that Premier Drury, of Ontario, was prepared to proceed from Canada, if necessary, to secure the lifting of the embargo, and Minister of Agriculture Lord Lee's reply to the effect that he could not deal direct with Drury but would have to conduct negotiations through the Canadian high commissioner.

BUSINESS SUSPENSES

IN LONDON BANK.

Farrow's Bank, an institution doing business largely with small depositors in the suburbs of London, Eng., where it had numerous branches, posted a notice that its payments had been suspended. The bank which had a capital of \$1,000,000 and deposits unofficially estimated at possibly from \$2,000,000 to \$3,000,000, gave no immediate explanation of its step.

As a result of the recent transatlantic flights made under government auspices in elays of 560 miles each, the feasibility of ocean to ocean aerial transport in Canada is expressed by authorities, and that relay may be extended to 500 or 400 miles.

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Preparations are already being made for the annual carnival to be held at Banff amidst the glories of the Canadian Pacific Rockies. Banff is ideally situated for winter sports and the season the date have been fixed from January 20th to February 10th inclusive. The secretary writes that the programme is to be considerably extended. He says: "Our Old Hill has been completely in accordance with the suggestions made by the world's champion, Anders Haugen of Brosten, Minn., and we are confident that a new world's record will be established on our Hill this Carnival. We have decided to offer a substantial cash prize to the man who can beat the present world's record and to supplement this cash prize with a further prize of \$10.00 for every foot or portion of a foot by which the record is broken on our hill. We will also follow the same principle in connection with the amateur championship only in that case the inducement or reward will be in the shape of an especially attractive prize. We have at the present time our different jumps so that we will be in a position to stage competitions in all classes of this very spectacular and half-skiing event."

"We expect that ladies hockey will be a very important factor in our sports this season. We have already been advised that the ladies of Vancouver under the leadership of Mr. Frank Patrick, of professional hockey fame, expect to occupy The Banffs the program of visitors Canada, of Calgary, the Pacific also will not lift."

WILL NOT LIFT

THE CATTLE EMBARGO.

The British government has not the slightest intention of modifying its embargo on Canadian cattle, the secretary of the board of agriculture announced in the house of commons last Monday, in answer to questions on this subject.

A team from Edmonton, a team from Valmont, Alberta, and perhaps teams from Vancouver and Ottawa are all expected to be on hand and compete with Vancouver and Ottawa for the Championship of Canada. A very elaborate trophy is together with ten very attractive and costly prizes will all probably be announced a little later in connection with this event.

"An ice palace will be constructed on a basis far more extensive than anything heretofore attempted and the resident engineer of the Dominion Government is now at work preparing the plans for same. We expect this palace, where thousands will be a view that will live in the memories of those who will be fortunate enough to visit us and see it. The palace will be situated at different times during the Carnival by representatives of all the different sports included in, and it is expected that the two works display on these occasions will be most interesting."

Special attention will again be given to art and fancy at the competition in these items on our program promise to be very interesting. The Centennial Statute of Vancouver with a number of other three hundred and thirty-seven articles that the Club will be well represented and if we could be secured of some entries from East Vancouver and the West Coast, with the secured entries we will have from Winnipeg, Calgary, The Mounties and Redstone. This feeling of our programme would be one of the finest ever ever attempted in Canada. Application will be made to the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada to have all these desirable representatives of the Canadian Olympic movement."

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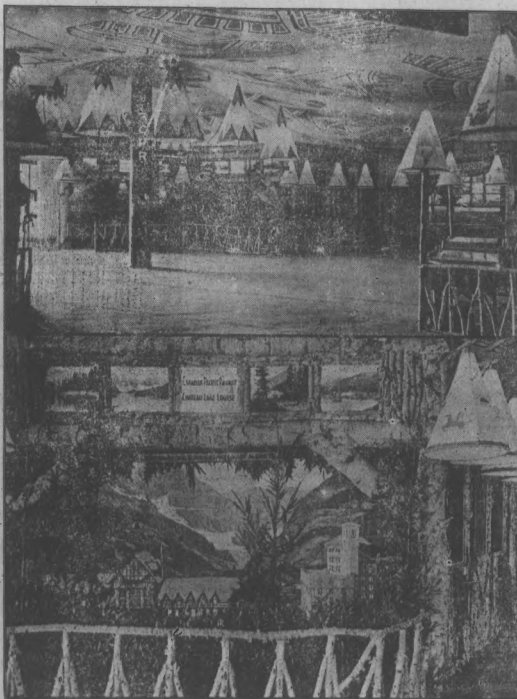
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THE REVIEW
Wishes its Readers

A Merry Christmas
 and
A Happy New Year

"And if you keep it for a day, Why not always?"

Sun Dance Lodge at Toronto



Toronto can always count on the C.P.R. to provide a unique and attractive exhibit for the Toronto Fair, and this year if anything the C.P.R. exhibit has set new previous records for originality and artistic execution. In order to make the exhibit more attractive, the majestic scenery of the Canadian Pacific Rockies, a Sun Dance Lodge based upon a Holey Indian model has been reconstructed in the interior with Indian relics and a sporting camp fire. On each side of the entrance, official accommodation has been worked into the setting where information of every description can be obtained. The exhibit is also installed. This has the typical Indian and real Indian (some of the latter from the West) for the purpose of showing the influence in effect of these interiors with beautiful Indian tepees as shown in the accompanying photograph.

The first thing that catches the eye is the "Philly" sign and the grinning faces. The Exhibit is under the direction of the "Gala and Patronage of the Fair," which is headed by the editor of the *Omaha and Cassopolis News* on the "train and passenger cars." The exhibit is a collection of photographs, many of which are of the fair, and who is also an authority on Indian art. It is a collection of photographs, many of which are of the fair, and who is also an authority on Indian art. It is a collection of photographs, many of which are of the fair, and who is also an authority on Indian art.

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ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Subscriptions handed at Publishers' rates. Blundell's.

R. S. Hart, manager of the Rolling Mill here, is on a business trip to the Pacific coast.

Gen. Lydiatt, manager of the Glass plant here, made a business trip to the coast last week.

Get her a gold banded Swan Fountain Pen for Xmas at Hall's.

Mrs. Sutherland and Miss Isaacson, of Mulgrave, N. S., are at present visiting their sister, Mrs. A. R. Dunbar of this town.

The slight dip in the weather and the light fall of snow have added the Christmas touch to the surroundings.

No luxury tax on hand painted China at Hall's.

Mrs. Fauson's class will be discontinued for the Xmas holidays. New term commences January 8th. New pupils should enroll on that date at the studio in Crowe's hall.

Don't forget the smoker in the G. W. V. A. club rooms next Tuesday evening. All interested in the formation of a military unit here are invited. No admission fee.

The Presbyterian Sunday school will hold the annual Xmas tree entertainment in the Annex-T. doors tonight. A good program has been prepared. All are welcome. Collection at the door.

Rev. Dr. Shearer and Mrs. Shearer will spend the Christmas holidays visiting their sons in Calgary. Satisfactory arrangements have been made so that the services will be conducted as usual during Dr. Shearer's absence.

Walter Lydiatt entertained a few of his boy friends to a pleasant social afternoon and evening at his home last Monday. During the afternoon outdoor games were played and after refreshments were served the scene of activities was transferred to indoors. The event was to celebrate Walter's eleventh birthday.

Bills are now out announcing the first annual ball to be given under the auspices of the local branch of the First Glass Blowers Union. The ball will be held in Heid's hall on New Year's Eve and promises to be one of the best of the season. Admission: Gent's \$1.00, ladies 50c. Everyone is invited to take part. Collins' orchestra will supply the music and society refreshments will be served.

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The honor roll for the school for the past term will appear in our next issue.

John Rutherford spent yesterday in Medicine Hat visiting his mother who is just recovering from the effects of an operation recently performed.

A nice bottle of perfume for her for Xmas. Get it at Hall's.

Installation of the newly elected officers of Quarry Lodge, A. F. & A. M., will take place in the lodge room next Tuesday evening. After the ceremony there will be a fourth degree. Visiting brothers are invited to attend.

The evening week end dance given by the G. W. V. A. in their club rooms last Saturday night, was a great success. There was a good crowd in attendance and all appeared to be well pleased to know that these weekly events are to be continued during the winter.

FIVE DAYS' GROCERY SALE AT KEATS'

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It is the intention of the Hedley-Slaw Milling Company of Medicine Hat, to increase their plant from its present capacity of 750 barrels a day to 1,000 barrels per day, and warehouse capacity in proportion. They will also install a 1,000 h.p. gas engine to take care of additional power requirements.

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